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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 GILBERT SOTO,

14 Defendant.  
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Case No. 2:22-cr-00063-JCM-VCF-1

**STIPULATION TO CONTINUE  
SENTENCING HEARING**  
(First Request)

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17 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between Jason M. Frierson,  
18 United States Attorney, and Daniel J. Cowhig, Assistant United States Attorney, counsel for  
19 the United States of America, and Rene L. Valladares, Federal Public Defender, and Navid  
20 Afshar, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel for Gilbert Soto, that the sentencing hearing  
21 scheduled for February 1, 2023, be vacated and set to a date and time convenient to this Court,  
22 but no sooner than thirty (30) days.

23 The Stipulation is entered into for the following reasons:

24 1. Defense counsel needs additional time to research information presented in the  
25 Pre-sentence Investigation Report, make any necessary objections, and prepare possible  
26 mitigation information, prior to proceeding with the sentencing hearing.

2. The defendant is incarcerated and does not object to the continuance.

1           3.       The parties agree to the continuance.

2           This is the first stipulation to continue filed herein.

3           DATED this 23rd day of January, 2023.

4       RENE L. VALLADARES  
5       Federal Public Defender

          JASON M. FRIERSON  
          United States Attorney

6       By /s/ Navid Afshar

          By /s/ Daniel J. Cowhig

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ORDER

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10 The parties being in agreement and the ends of justice being best served by the granting  
11 of the requested continuance:

12 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Sentencing currently scheduled  
13 for Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at 10:30 a.m., be vacated and continued to **March 3, 2023,**  
14 **at 11:00 a.m.**

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16 DATED January 23, 2023

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19 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE